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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Min Michael He et al.

Application No.: 10/713,473

Filed: November 14, 2003

For: NOVEL TABLETS INCORPORATING
ISOFLAVONE PLANT EXTRACTS AND
METHODS OF MANUFACTURING
WATER SOLUBLE POLYMER-BASED
RAPIDLY DISSOLVING TABLETS AND
PRODUCTION PROCESSES THEREOF

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 1929

Examiner: George M. Konata

Technology Center/Art Unit: 1616

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION
REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 30, 2004, please enter the following remarks. A one-month extension of time is being submitted concurrently herewith.

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